



ALEXANDRIA.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 16.

OF COURSE THE ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE is opposed to holding an extra session of the Legislature this winter. As that paper almost always plays the game of "contraries" with the democratic organization of Virginia, we take it for granted that the Governor will convene the Legislature at an early day.—*Richmond Dispatch* Dec. 22.

The people of Virginia will not be sorry to learn that the subcommittee of the democratic State central committee appointed to consider the subject do not see any occasion for convening the Legislature in extra session at present.—*Richmond Dispatch*, Jan. 12.

If the Virginia democrats would always take the GAZETTE'S advice, as they did in the instance referred to, they would get along much better.

THE RICHMOND Dispatch says: "The men who are best able to pay their taxes in money are so many of them using coupons that it would seem rather a hopeless undertaking to appeal to them to assume voluntarily the payment of the State debt."

But if it were not for the vain attempt to repudiate the State debt, the men referred to would not be enabled by the law to pay their taxes in depreciated coupons, but would be compelled to use good money for that purpose, as their poor neighbors have to do. No matter what sort of laws be passed the rich can always protect themselves. It is the poor who suffer from bad laws, and the worst of all laws are those which justify the repudiation of honest debts.

YESTERDAY'S ISSUE of the New York Herald contains, on different pages, the essay of Mr. Lewis H. Blair of Richmond, Va., in favor of mixed schools and churches and of social equality with the negroes, and an account by its own correspondent of the barbarous condition of more than half the negroes on the island of Hayti, among whom voodooism or snake worship exists with all its beastial accompaniments, including cannibalism. Mr. Blair has become a follower of Mr. George W. Cable, but the other white people of the country, North as well as South, foreign as well as native born, are opposed to miscegenation, and what's more, won't have it.

JUDGE Woods holds that unless it can be proved that Col. Dudley's advice to the republican workers in Indiana to buy votes in blocks of five was acted upon, the Colonel cannot be indicted. In other words the judge decides that an attempt to bribe voters is not a crime unless it succeeds; therefore, that an attempt to incite robbery, arson or murder, or any other crime, is not a crime in itself, and only becomes one in case it succeeds. Of a verity, Judge Woods is a second Daniel come to judgment.

THE REPUBLICANS in the United States Senate have reduced the duty on pearls to ten per cent., but refuse positively to reduce the duty on sewing thread. Rich women use pearls; poor sewing women use thread. Who says protection doesn't protect labor? Perish the thought! And yet there are democrats in Virginia who say the democrats of the State must not declare for a low, or revenue, tariff. No harm can ever result from doing right.

AND NOW Patterson, who used to be in the U. S. Senate during carpetbag rule in the South, from South Carolina, has been introduced into another scrape, being sued in a place called Mallowan, Pa., for breach of promise of marriage by Mrs. Mary Fleming. He is said to be wealthy, and was recently married to Miss Frank, of Waukesha, Wis. Patterson is fifty-five years of age, and the plaintiff is forty-five years old and a resident of Philadelphia.

TWO HUNDRED and sixty-eight thousand dollars in depreciated coupons were paid into the Virginia Treasury during the year 1888. This amount was paid by rich men and by liquor sellers. The poor people of the State, whose individual tax bills are small, had to pay them in good money. Such is one of the many ills of our deplorable repudiation.

It is heralded with a flourish of trumpets that "James G. Blaine, Jr., has entered the Maine Central repair shop at Waterville, Me., as an apprentice." As if there had not been thousands far better in every respect who have learned trades, or as if it was an honor conferred upon the trade that Jas. G. Blaine, Jr., should condescend to learn anything.

MR. CHILDS, who gave Mrs. Cleveland a blood heifer, Mr. Dougherty, who nominated Mr. Cleveland at St. Louis, and Mr. Singler, who rendered Mr. Cleveland valuable support, unite in saying that Mr. Cleveland is a "cold man." Thousands of other people entertain the same idea, but express it in entirely different terms.

ALREADY THE claims of the different aspirants for Governor of the State are being urged by their respective friends. Among those mentioned in connection with the exalted position are Messrs. O'Ferrall, McKinney, Biernie, Buchanan and Curry. But it is modestly suggested that it may be a little too previous for training.

THE FRIENDS of Hon. Mat. Ransom, of North Carolina, will be grateful to hear of his re-nomination, equivalent to re-election, to the seat he at present occupies in the U. S. Senate. Gen. Ransom has been in the Senate for eighteen years and has made an enviable record.

WORCESTER, Mass., objects to the whistling of any but sacred music in her churches Sunday night. So it would be supposed; but such strange things happen up in that strictly moral country that it is thought proper to make the public announcement.

AND "little Delaware" is to be represented in the U. S. Senate by a republican. After so long and faithful adherence to democracy it is cause of deep regret that in an evil hour she should have been seduced from her first love.

IT WOULD appear that recent purchases of sites for school and engine houses in Washington were from relatives of those in power, and for which exorbitant prices were paid. There's always "a ring within a ring" in Washington as well as elsewhere.

## From Washington.

[Special Correspondence of the ALEX. GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16, 1889.

Those opposed to the appointment of Mr. Blaine to the cabinet say the fact that Mr. Blaine's wife once snubbed Mr. Harrison's wife is sufficient to prevent any such appointment. The snub is said to have been as follows: Both the ladies mentioned were at a reception at the White House during the Garfield administration; both had been invited to assist Mrs. Garfield; not being acquainted, Mrs. Harrison introduced herself to Mrs. Blaine, remarking that that lady might have met her husband. Mrs. Blaine's reply, as she sailed out of the room, was, "very likely, but there are so many new people coming in that one can't be expected to remember all of them."

Senator Evans in an interview with a friend this morning said that he deplored a fight among the New York republicans for a cabinet place; that without such a fight the republicans in New York would be in condition to regain entire possession of the State, but that with it they would be likely to lose the advantages they now possess. He says, however, that he believes Mr. Harrison is wise enough to understand the whole matter and to select the best man. Mr. Evans is of the opinion that no man mixed up in any of the party's factions in any of its States should be selected for a cabinet position.

Senator Ingalls, president pro tem. of the Senate, whose slight at not being invited to the late State dinner at the White House has been commented upon extensively throughout the country, has been invited to the reception to be given at the White House on the 31st to the legislative and judicial branches of the government. When asked this morning if he intended to accept the invitation, Mr. Ingalls replied unhesitatingly that he did.

Representative Bowden, of the Norfolk (Virginia) district, says that six hundred white republicans, the members of the Harrison, Morton and Bowden republican club of Norfolk and Portsmouth, Virginia, will march in the inaugural procession here on the 4th of March; the first time, said he, that Southern white republicans have ever done such a thing. Mr. Bowden also says that of the six Southern republicans selected by the committee appointed by the recent conference of Southern republicans held in this city, to go to Indianapolis and represent to Mr. Harrison the peculiar fitness of Gen. Mahone for a cabinet position, five have agreed to go and the sixth will send a letter of concurrence. The six are Judge Russell of North Carolina, and Representatives Houk, McCasas, Wade, Boxer and himself. They have written a letter to Mr. Harrison asking when their visit will be agreeable, and will go as soon as they receive an answer.

A Virginia republican of the anti-Mahone stripe here to day says that Mr. Harrison has been informed by a personal friend, and one on whom he places the firmest reliance, that of the twenty three Virginians who recently called upon him in the interest of Gen. Mahone, every single one had held office through the political influence of Gen. Mahone, and hoped to regain their old places in case of his appointment to a cabinet position, and that Mr. Harrison had replied to the effect that he was aware of that fact when the delegation called, and that he was perfectly familiar with republican politics in Virginia.

Mr. Culbertson, chairman of the House Judiciary Committee, taking this morning about the bill introduced in the House day before yesterday in reference to internal revenue, and which was referred to the appropriations committee, as a slight upon the Ways and Means Committee for its non action upon various bills of similar character that have been referred to it, said the appropriations committee had full power to report it and have it put on the calendar, when it could be taken up and acted upon, but that he did not believe that committee would do anything that would look like an infringement upon the business of the Ways and Means committee. At least, said he, they will do nothing in the line of such a bill until they find that nothing will be done in that line by the tariff bill. In that case, said he, it may be that the internal revenue part of the Mills bill may be passed, at least so much of it as provides for the removal of the tax on leaf tobacco, and the special license tax on liquor. He said he and many other democrats would be willing to vote for such a proposition if they found that nothing else in the line could be accomplished. With reference to the Senate tariff bill, he said, there is no chance of its passage, and that even Mr. Cowles would not vote for it, though it included the provisions of his bill.

Every Senator when he took his seat to-day saw on his desk a petition asking for the passage of a law prohibiting the running of cars on Sunday. As in duty bound every Senator presented these petitions, and all, except Senator Riddleberger, did so without comment. That Senator, however, took occasion to remark that as no other Senator had done so, he would say that he was utterly and entirely opposed to the object of the petitioners; that he, or anybody else, bound to Washington by railroad on Sunday would like to be stopped at the city's limits and detained there until Monday. Those, he said, who think it a sin to travel on Sunday should not do so, but they had no right to prevent other people from traveling on Sunday who do not think that such traveling is a sin. He was opposed, he said, to this and all similar attempts to restrict the personal rights of free and independent citizens.

The conference committee on the Nicaragua canal bill is still in session, having as yet been unable to agree upon a report, the Senate conferees insisting upon striking out the House amendments preventing the bill from being a stock jobbing concern, and the House conferees being equally as persistent in their demands that those amendments be retained.

Gen. Swaim, Judge Advocate General of the United States army, now undergoing the sentence of a court martial, was yesterday ordered before a retiring board.

Representative Oates, of Alabama, favors a constitutional amendment disfranchising the colored people.

The republicans of the Arkansas legislature have endorsed Powell Clayton for the Cabinet.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

It is again stated that there is no doubt of Stanley's safety.

Two new war vessels are provided for in the naval appropriation bill.

Lydia Thompson, the burlesque queen, is seriously ill at Los Angeles, Cal.

A new comet was yesterday discovered by Prof. Wm. R. Brooks of Geneva, N. Y.

The U. S. grand jury at Indianapolis yesterday failed to indict Col. Dudley for election offenses.

The North Carolina republicans want Col. A. H. Dockery in the cabinet instead of Gen. Mahone.

The Senate yesterday confirmed the nomination of Walter C. Newberry to be postmaster at Chicago.

The democrats of the North Carolina legislature last night nominated Senator Ransom for re-election.

The schooner Tecumseh, the largest four masted schooner afloat, was launched at Bath, Me., yesterday.

The Suro Tunnel was sold under foreclosure of mortgage at Virginia City, Nev., yesterday, and was bid in for the company at \$1,325,000.

Philadelphia sugar dealers say that Clara Spireckels has secured the entire Philippine islands sugar crop for his Philadelphia and San Francisco refineries.

While on a shooting excursion at Buckow yesterday Emperor William by accident slightly wounded a citizen of Berlin who was looking on at the sport.

Dr. Kruss, a chemist of Munich, has succeeded in decomposing cobalt and nickel, both of which have hitherto been supposed to be elementary substances.

A young man named R. W. Rogers fell from the roof of a seven-story building, a distance of eighty feet, in New York yesterday, and only sprained his ankle. He fell on a pile of dirt.

Confirmation has been received of the news that Bishops Tirnova, Varoa and Vranitz were dragged from their beds by pandarms and summarily marched outside the walls of Sofia, where they were left shivering in the biting north wind.

A board of naval inquiry, with the British consul presiding, at Baltimore yesterday, exonerated Capt. Williams from blame in the case of the sinking of the British steamship Montana by the steamship Main. The Main's side of the affair was not heard.

There is nothing new in the West Virginia legislative situation, and all interests are absorbed in the Senate deadlock. The two houses met yesterday, but as the House of Delegates is unable to do any business it adjourned until to-day. There were two sessions of the Senate. There was one ineffectual attempt to elect a president, after which Mr. Vanpellet offered a resolution to the effect that the democratic Senators meet the House in joint session to canvass the vote for Governor. There is no show for an organization soon, and it is strongly hinted that the session will be allowed to expire by constitutional limitation.

## VIRGINIA NEWS.

The excitement in the Pocahontas and Elk Horn mining districts has subsided.

The city of Portsmouth has voted a subscription of \$150,000 to the Atlantic and Danville railroad.

The Norfolk county and Portsmouth territories were leased at public auction for ten years yesterday at \$16,200 per year.

Lt. Miles, of the U. S. S. Yantic, who died of yellow fever at the New York quarantine on Monday, leaves a wife and two children in Norfolk.

It is understood that the Virginia Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church, which assembles next May, will be asked to divide the parish of Accomac.

Owing to the illness of Hon. J. Randolph Tucker, he did not arrive at Norfolk yesterday and the Exchange Bank cases did not come up in the United States Court.

The Railroad Commissioner of Virginia in his annual report shows the casualties of 1888 to have been 100 persons killed and 600 injured. There are about 3,000 miles of road in the State.

In a row on Scott's creek between James and Robert Carter, brothers, on Sunday, the former bit off nearly two inches of the tongue of the latter, and it is thought the wounded man will bleed to death.

Mr. James B. Pace has sold to the Messrs. Abel, of the Baltimore Sun, the tract of 273 acres known as Springhill, adjoining Manchester, for \$15,000. The Messrs. Abel intend to lay off Springhill in streets and building lots and parks.

A meeting of citizens was held at Leesburg on Saturday night to decide in reference to another vote being taken in Leesburg district upon the question of liquor license, and it was unanimously resolved to hold such an election as early as practicable.

The Sears Construction Company of Chattanooga, Tenn., has taken the contract to build a standard gauge railroad from Rona oke via New Castle, Craig county, to Eagle Rock, on the Richmond and Allegheny Railroad, in Botetourt county, a distance of 18 miles.

Mr. Benjamin F. Harrison, of Richmond, recently wrote to President-elect Harrison, claiming relationship, and received a reply that President Harrison had heard of his Virginia relations, but was not sufficiently informed about them to trace up the relationship, with the writer.

Gen. Mahone was in Jacksonville Monday, and was closeted for several hours with a number of leading Florida republican politicians. The republican State executive committee of South Carolina yesterday endorsed the General as a suitable representative of the South in Gen. Harrison's cabinet.

A deed of trust from the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company to the Central Trust Company, of New York, trustee, was recorded in Richmond yesterday. It is made to secure to the stockholders the payment of bonds to be issued under the new plan of organization to the amount of \$30,000,000, payable in gold, on the first day of May, 1892.

Squire Foxwicks, colored, died in jail at Danville yesterday evidently from the effects of poison. A fellow prisoner named Jack Coates received molasses pudding from his wife for his Sunday dinner. Coates ate but little and was made sick. He put the pudding aside, and Foxwicks ate the remainder and soon became violently ill. He suffered great agony until he died. Three colored women have been arrested, charged with putting poison in the pudding.

William L. Royall, counsel for the Virginia bondholders, sought to institute before Judge Hugh L. Bond, of the United States Circuit Court in Norfolk yesterday, three suits for damage for trespass. These suits had been brought against officers of the State, Treasurer Greenhow and Sheriff Winston, of Richmond, who, having refused to receive in payment of taxes coupons not proven genuine, as required by the State law, had procured judgments and levied executions on the property of the plaintiff under the State statutes. In each of the actions Attorney General Ayers on behalf of the State, filed demurrers to the jurisdiction of the federal court, and Judge Bond sustained the demurrers.



## ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCHES.

## Proceedings of Congress.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16.

## SENATE.

The President's two messages in regard to affairs in Samoa and Hayti were laid before the Senate, and referred (with the accompanying documents) to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

A number of memorials were presented and referred.

At 1 o'clock the Senate resumed consideration of the tariff bill.

## HOUSE.

Mr. Blount, of Georgia, chairman of the Committee on Postoffices and Postroads, asked that that committee be permitted to report upon the postoffice appropriation bill legislation providing for the classification of clerks in first and second class postoffices.

After a statement by Mr. Blount that the legislation was recommended by the President and urgently requested by the Postmaster General, the consent was given.

The House then resumed the consideration of the Territorial bills, and was addressed by Mr. Joseph, of New Mexico, who presented the claims of that territory for admission into the Union.

## Earthquake in Costa Rica.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Advices from San Jose state that on December 30th the severest earthquake experienced since 1832 was felt throughout Costa Rica. In San Jose, both the national capitol and the magnificent cathedral, which required ten years of labor to erect, at an expenditure of \$1,000,000, are in ruins. The presidential palace, city hall, postoffice, and a dozen other public buildings were also wrecked. Advices from surrounding cities bring accounts of loss of both life and property. The latest estimate of the damage throughout the country exceeds \$5,000,000. Business in the city is suspended, houses are deserted, and the entire population are living and sleeping under tents in the streets or public squares, in expectancy of another shock.

## Attack on a Missionary Station.

ZANZIBAR, Jan. 16.—The attack made by the insurgents on the German missionary stationed at Dares-Salem began at an early hour on the morning of Jan. 11. The station, which was unguarded, contained a hundred natives who had been freed from slavery, and three male and two female missionaries. One of the missionaries was severely wounded, but succeeded in reaching the German man-of-war, Mowe. All the others were captured and sold into slavery in the interior. The insurgents pillaged the town. The Mowe bombarded and destroyed the place, but did no harm to the insurgents. It is reported that the insurgents are marching upon another missionary station where there are several unprotected missionaries and 150 freed natives.

## Meeting of Directors.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 16.—The regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company was held to day. Mr. Charles E. Mayer, president, in the chair. The following is the statement submitted of earnings and expenses for December, 1888, approximated, compared with December, 1887, audited: Earnings, \$1,669,251; 1888, \$1,742,032; increase \$72,781. Expenses, 1887, \$1,263,957; 1888, \$1,244,438; decrease, \$19,519. Net, 1887, \$405,294; 1888, \$497,594; increase \$92,300.

The President announced the regular committees, and also the appointment of W. H. Blackford, D. H. Miller and J. W. Brown to fill vacancies on the special investigating committee.

## Letter from Stanley.

BRUSSELS, Jan. 16.—The following letter, written by Henry M. Stanley, has been received in this city from Boma of Bonalya Murelia, dated Aug. 17. It was written to Sheikh Hamed ben-Mahomed. Stanley at that time was in good health. He wants to stay ten days and then proceed to Big Island, about two hours' march. The letter, which was taken to Stanley Falls by a messenger, and which reached Brussels by post last night, is the only one from Stanley which reached the coast of Africa. A number of other letters which the messenger conveyed to Stanley Falls still remain there, but it is expected that they will arrive in Europe in two or three months.

## A Mysterious Affair.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—A man named William Rind, aged 55, was found at an early hour this morning standing in front of 215 East 53d street with his throat cut. He was under the influence of liquor when found and could or would give no information as to how he came by his injuries except that he was cut by two men somewhere down town. The detectives are investigating the case but have gained no clue. They think it possible that Rind may have attempted suicide. He is not likely to recover. He lived happily with his second wife.

## Don't Kill the Dog that Bites You.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—A Mr. Bagley, of Virginia, recently applied for a life insurance and was refused by the company on the ground that he had been bitten by a split-dog December 15th last. Mr. Bagley wrote to Dr. Pastner on the subject and to day received a reply from the eminent scientist in which he declares that the bite of a healthy dog is harmless, but that the animal should be kept under surveillance eight days after inflicting the wound in order to assure that it does not show signs of rabies.

## Murderer Arrested.

TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 16.—The murderers of Byron Dennis and John Godown have been arrested. Dennis and Godown were hanging when assassinated.

Still Ahead!—Mrs. Belle Cole, the singer has made a favorable impression as a concert singer in London. The celebrated Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup made a favorable impression in London several years ago.

## The Funeral of the Late Mrs. Gould.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Jay Gould took place to-day from the residence of her husband, on Fifth avenue. The attendance at the service was not large. Mr. Gould did not appear among his friends, but remained with his family in one of the recesses of the stairway just above where the services were conducted. A quartette sang "Asleep in Jesus," and Rev. Dr. John R. Paxton read the Episcopal service for the dead. Rev. Dr. John R. Terry then offered a prayer, and the services concluded with the singing of a hymn. The family and clergymen only remained after the services. The interment will take place this afternoon.

## To Introduce Pool Selling.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 16.—E. R. Gasper, a member of the firm of H. O. Price & Co., formerly the leading pool sellers of Pittsburgh, has gone to Europe for the purpose of introducing the American system of pool selling in London, Paris and Berlin. It is intimated that he does so in the interest of the American Turf Exchange, an organization to which the most powerful of the bookmakers in this country belong.

## Mr. Higgins Elected Senator.

DOVER, Del., Jan. 16.—At noon both houses convened in joint session and after comparing journals proceeded to ballot for United States Senator. The ballot resulted: Anthony Higgins, 16; James L. Wolcott, 9; Alfred P. Robinson, 5. Mr. Higgins was therefore declared elected.

## Train Wrecked.

LITTLE ROCK, Jan. 16.—The westbound train on the Little Rock and Ft. Smith road ran into a slide one mile from Ozark yesterday. The whole train was wrecked and engineer W. A. Voss buried beneath the wreck. The fireman and a number of others were seriously injured.

## Mysterious Fire.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 16.—A mysterious fire occurred on the South Side early this morning and a woman was burned to death and a child badly burned. The origin of the fire is unknown.

## Ex-Minister Bell's Condition.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The physicians in charge of the case of Hon. Isaac Bell, ex U. S. Minister to the Netherlands, say that he is very low and can hardly survive the day.

## Snow in the Northwest.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 16.—Snow fell throughout the Northwest yesterday, mixed in places with rain and sleet.

## Farmers' Assembly.

The annual meeting of the Farmers' Assembly of Virginia was called to order in Richmond last night by its president, Col. Robert Beverley, of Fauquier, who made an address. The following recommendations of the executive committee were adopted: Requesting the legislature to pass a State railroad bill in conformity with the interstate commerce law; indorsing the purposes of the State board of agriculture and asking the legislature for larger appropriations; also, that farmers' institutes shall be established under authority of that board; asking that professional agriculturists be placed in charge of the agricultural institutions of the State; requesting the legislature to enact a law requiring all beef exposed for sale in this State to be inspected before sale. Mr. Magruder, of Albemarle, submitted a plan of conducting the campaign in this State this year so as to redound to the benefit of the farmer. His plan looks to exacting pledges from the candidates for the legislature of each of the political parties in regard to such legislation as the agriculturists demand. The plan was referred to the executive committee, with instructions to report to-day.

The State board of agriculture also met in Richmond yesterday. The chief topic discussed was immigration. It was decided to prepare a pamphlet for general distribution, setting forth the resources of every county in the State, including the value of land on the market and the productiveness of the same. Also to appoint a local agent in every State to carry out the provisions indicated. A resolution was adopted for the more effectual sampling of fertilizers sold in the State.

V. M. I.—The Board of Visitors of the Virginia Military Institute met in Richmond last night in semi-annual session. Much interest attached to this meeting because of the rumor that General Smith would tender his resignation as superintendent. This subject was not mentioned at all and one of the visitors expressed the belief that if General Smith contemplates resigning he will not do so until the June meeting. The whole of the session was consumed in hearing reports from General Smith. The board will be in session two or three days.

## Alexandria Gazette.

The ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE has just entered its ninetieth year. But if any one thinks it is in its dotage he is mightily mistaken, for the GAZETTE is wide awake and vigorous.—*Shepherdstown Register*.

The ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE has entered upon its ninetieth year. The GAZETTE is one of our favorite exchanges, and we wish it that prosperity which it so richly deserves.—*Piedmont Virginian*.

With the new year the ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE entered upon its ninetieth year. It has no new wrinkles, but will continue in its course, long pursued, striving to maintain the doctrines and principles of those of whose precepts and example elevated this country to its pinnacle of greatness and prosperity.—*Virginia Free Press*.

The President to-day sent to Congress the correspondence in regard to the seizure of the steamer Haytian Republic at Port au Prince.

Salvation Oil is an infallible cure for headache, backache, pain in the side and limbs, and all rheumatic and neuralgic affections. It relieves pain and extirpates the disease that causes it. Price twenty five cents a bottle.

DUNHAM'S CONCENTRATED COCOANUT in 4-1/2 cans. GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

PURE CIDER VINEGAR for table and pickling purposes at J. C. MILBURN'S.

PHILLIPS'S DIGESTIBLE COCOA, highly recommended by physicians, for sale at J. C. MILBURN'S.

PODDER YARN at reduced prices, to close out the present season, at 328 King street, corner of Royal. [ret] J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

CANTON PRESERVED GINGER (fresh stock), 3-1/2 and 5-1/2 pots. GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

GRATED HORSE RADISH, small bottles, just the size for family use. GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

## MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The London figure came much higher this morning, but this market did not fully respond to the good feeling on the other side, first prices here being somewhat irregular, although generally from 1/2 to 3/4 per cent. higher than last evening's figures. There was less animation than during the previous few days at that time of day, and the business here was more than usually confined to a few leading shares. The tone of the early trading was fairly firm, and most of the stocks traded in showed advances over first figures of small fractions. The market became stationary toward the end of the hour, and at 11 o'clock it was quiet and steady, generally at slight fractions better than the opening figures. Money easy at 2 1/2.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 16.—Virginia consolidated —, past-due coupons —, do 10-40s 37 1/2, bid 36 3/4, 34 1/2, 35 1/4.

## WHOLESALE PRICES OF PRODUCE JAN. 16.

Flour, fine.....	\$3 25	do 3 1/2
Superfine.....	3 50	do 3 1/2
Extra.....	4 00	do 3 1/2
Family.....	5 00	do 3 1/2
Fancy brands.....	5 00	do 3 1/2
Wheat, Longberry.....	1 00	do 1 1/2
Mixed.....	0 95	do 1 1/2
Fair Wheat.....	0 85	do 1 1/2
Damp and tough.....	0 65	do 1 1/2
Corn, white.....	0 45	do 1 1/2
Yellow.....	0 40	do 1 1/2
Corn Meal.....	0 45	do 1 1/2
Oats.....	0 54	do 1 1/2
Rye.....	0 30	do 1 1/2
Butter, Virginia prime.....	0 17	do 1 1/2
Common to middling.....	0 12	do 1 1/2
Eggs.....	0 15	do 1 1/2
Live Chickens (hens).....	0 8	do 1 1/2
Dressed Chickens.....	0 7	do 1 1/2
Dressed Ducks.....	0 9	do 1 1/2
Dressed Turkeys.....	0 11	do 1 1/2
Veal Calves.....	0 4	do 1 1/2